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We would like to object to the above planning application on the following grounds:

The scheme is too large and dense for the surrounding infrastructure. Several blocks exceed the 7-storey upper limit and are very dominant on the towpath and riverside. We live in Somerton Avenue and use the Lower Richmond Road often - by car, bus and walking - to get home. The traffic along this road is always at a standstill now without the addition of a large number of extra residents. It is naive to think people will not have cars. We are in our 70's and cannot use a bike although we do use the bus. We all know about Hammersmith bridge but also the closure of Sheen Lane gate into the park has had a huge detrimental effect to traffic in the area which is surrounded by the river and Richmond park and traffic has nowhere to go. We do not need any more which will totally ruin our quality of life.

We walk our dog on the riverside which is a haven of peace and quiet and a home to a huge amount of wildlife. To have a large residential development over dominant on the riverside is despicable.

This is without the extra pollution this scheme will bring. As an asthmatic and with a 3 year old grandson who is badly asthmatic we are very concerned already about the air quality in the area for people with respiratory conditions. This can only get worse with the increased traffic congestion.

The whole development needs to be rethought. Something needs to be done but not an overpowering residential development like this where there is no opportunity to improve the existing infrastructure.

Thank you

Joy and Chris Heron